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ON SEPTEMBER 28, 1976, A CONFIDENTIAL SOURCE ABROAD, WHO IS CONNECTED WITH THE ARGENTINE ARMY INTELLIGENCE SERVICE, PROVIDED THAUFOLLOWING INFORMATION:

"OPERATION CONDOR" IS THE CODE NAME FOR THE COLLECTION,

EXCHANGE AND STORAGE OF INTELLIGENCE DATA CONCERNING SOCALLED

"LEFTISTS;" COMMUNISTS AND MARKISTS, WHICH WAS RECENTLY ESTABLISHED BETWEEN COOPERATING INTELLIGENCE SERVICES IN SOUTH AMERICA IN ORDER TO ELIMINATE MARKIST TERMORIST ACTIVITIES IN THE AREA. IN ADDITION,

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CENTER FOR 389834-589, 19,594" AND IMMADDITION TO CHILE ITS MEMBERS INCLUDE ARGENTINA, BOLIVIA, PARAGUAY, AND UNUGUAY. BRAZIL ALSO HAS IENTATIVELY AGREED TO SUPPLY INTELLIGENCE INPUT FOR "OPERATION CONDOR." MEMBERS OF "OPERATION CONDOR" SHOWING THE MOST ENTHUSIASM TO DATE HAVE BEEN ARGENTINA, UNUGUAY AND CHILE. THE LATTER THREE COUNTRIES HAVE ENGAGED IN JOINT OPERATIONS, PRIMABILY IN ARGENTINA, AGAINST THE TERRORIST TARGET. DURING THE WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 20, 1976, THE DIRECTOR OF THE ARGENTINE ARMY INTELLIGENCE SERVICE TRAVELED TO SANTIAGO, CHILE, TO CONSULT WITH HIS CHILEAN COUNTER-PARTS WITH RESPECT TO "OPERATION CONDOR." (S) (U)

A THIRD AND MOST YNCRET PHASE OF "OPERATION CONDOR" INVOLVES
THE FORMATION OF SPECPIL TEAMS FROM MEMBER COUNTRIES WHO ARE TO
TRAVEL ANYWHERE IN THE WORLD TO MON-MEMBER COUNTRIES TO CARRY DUT
SANCTIONS UP TO ASSASSINATION AGAINST TERRORISTS ON YEPPORTERS
OF TERRORIST ORGANIZATIONS FROM "OPERATION CONDOR" MEMBER COUNTRIES.
FOR EXAMPLE, SHOULD A TERRORIST ON A SUPPORTER OF A TERRORIST
ORGANIZATION FROMHW MEMBER COUNTRY OF "OPERATION CONDOR" BE LOCATED
IN A EUROPEAN COUNTRY, HK SPECIAL TEAM FROM "OPERATION CONDOR"



RE UR 808-29. THE FOLLOWING IS A RENEACRYPTION OF PAGE THREE OF OUR BUE 02628:

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WOULD BE DISPATCHED TO LOCATE AND SURVEIL THE TARGET. WHEN THE LOCATION AND SURVEILLANCE OPERATION HAS TERMINATED, A SECOND, TEAM FROM "OPERATION CONDOR" WOULD BE DPSPATCHED TO CARRY OUT THE ACTUA

LSANCTION AGAINST THE TARGET. SPECIAL TEAMS WOULD BYO ISSUED FALSE DOCUMENTATION FROM MEMBER COUNTRIES OF "OPERATION CONDON" AND MAY BE COMPOSED EXCLUSIVELY OF INDIVIDUALS FROM ONE MEMBER NATION OF "OPERATION CONDOR" OR MAY BE COMPOSED OF A MIXED GROUP FROM VARIOUS "

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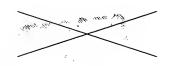
TWO EUROPEAN COUNTRIES, SPECIFICALLY MENTIONED FOR POSSIBLE OPERATIONS UNDER THE THIRD PHASE OF "OPERATION CONDOR" WEBE FRANCE AND PURIUGAL.

A SPECIAL TEAM HAS BEEN ORGANIZED IN ARGESTINA MADE UP OF MEMBERS OF THE ARGENTINE ARMY INTELLIGENCE SERVICE AND THE STATE SECRETARIAT FOR INFORMATION (SIDE). WHICH ARE BEING (U) PREPARED FOR POSSIBLE FUTURE ACTION UNDER THE THIRD PHASE OF "OPERATION CONDOR."

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ADMINISTRATIVE - SOUNCE IS DR. ANTURO HORACID POIRE, WHO IS A MEMBEGGOF THE ARGENTINE SPECIAL GROUP, WHICH WILL POSSIBLY PARTICIPATE IN THE THIRD PHASE OF "OPERATION CORDER." (X)(U)



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IT SHOULD BE NOTED THAT NO INFORMATION HAS BEEN DEVELOPED INDICATING THAT SANCTIONS UNDER THE THIRD PHASE OF "OPEGITION CONDUR" HAVE BEEN PLANNED TO BE CARRIED OUT IN THE UNITED STATES; HOWEVER, IT IS NOT BEYOND THE REALM OF PUSCIBILITY THAT THE RECENT ASSASSIBATION OF ORLANDO LETELIER IN RASHINGTON, D.(5:. MAY HAVE BEEN CARRIED DUT AS A THIRD PHASE ACTION OF "OPERATION CONDOR." AS NOTED ABOVE, INFORMATION AVAILABLE TO THE SOURCE INDICATES THAT PARTICULAR EMPHASIS MAYXPLACED ON THE THIRD PHASE ACTIONS OF "OPERATION CONDOR" IN EUROPE, SPECIFICALLY FRANCE AND PORTUGAL. THIS OFFICE WILL REMAIN ALERI FOR ANY INFORMATION INDICATING THAT THE ASSASSIBATION OF LETELIER MAY BE PART OF "OPERATION COMICS" ACTION.



